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AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL LETTER

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Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231
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Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above identified application.

() No additional fee is required.

(X) The fee has been calculated as shown below:

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CLAIMS AS AMENDED

	Claims Remaining After Amendment		Highest Number Previously Paid For	Present Number Extra	Rate	FEE
Total claims	12	-	20	X	x\$18	0
Independent claims	1	-	3	X	x\$84	0
Multiple dependent claim added					\$280	0
					TOTAL\$	0
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(X) A Petition for Extension of time under 37 CFR 1.136(a)

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() Applicant believes that no extension of term is required. However, this conditional petition is being made to provide for the possibility that applicant has inadvertently overlooked the need for a petition and fee for additional extension of time. **TECHNOLOGY CENTER 2800**

() Declaration

Respectfully submitted,

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